

JUDICIAL ASSIGNMENTS FOR 2009

Judge Martin J. Tangeman will be the Presiding Judge for 2009. Judge Charles S. Crandall will be the Assistant Presiding Judge and act as Presiding Judge in Judge Tangeman's absence. The following are the assignments for 2009:

CRIMINAL TEAM

Judge Michael L. Duffy Team Leader, Department 5
Judge Martin J. Tangeman, Department 1
Judge Dodie A. Harman, Department 10
TBA, Department 8
Judge Charles S. Crandall, Department 7
Judge John A. Trice, Department 6
Judge Jac A. Crawford, Grover Beach
Judge Ginger E. Garrett, Supervising Juvenile Judge, Juvenile Services Center
and Department 12
Commissioner Stephen B. Sefton, Veterans Memorial Building and Paso Robles

DUTIES: The criminal team will handle all felony and misdemeanor criminal cases from arraignment to disposition, along with criminal writs, and Mentally Disordered Offenders (MDO) petitions (2960 P.C.). All felony and misdemeanor arraignments, pretrials, motions, and trials will be heard in the department where the defendant makes a first appearance with the exception of afternoon in-custody arraignments, which may thereafter be reassigned to other departments. The judge presiding in that department will be assigned for all purposes for the balance of the case. Motions should be noticed at least ten (10) days in advance of the hearing date prior to the Trial or Preliminary Hearing. Applications for criminal writs on actions taken by the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) should be filed with the Civil Department and will be assigned to a Criminal bench officer based on the surname of the petitioner. Ex parte applications should be presented to the Criminal Department, Room 220. All juvenile delinquency and dependency calendars, contested hearings and the Juvenile Drug Court will be heard in Department 12 and at the Juvenile Services Center. Informal juvenile and traffic calendars and trials will be called by a hearing officer designated by the Court at the Juvenile Services Center. Misdemeanor calendars and Juvenile Traffic will continue to be called in the Grover Beach branch court. Traffic calendars will continue to be called in San Luis Obispo, and Paso Robles.

Criminal Calendar – San Luis Obispo	
Adult Drug Court	Department 5, 8:25 a.m., Friday
Proposition 36 (Post-Sentence) Proposition 36 (Dual Diagnosis)	Department 10, 1:30 p.m., Tuesday Department 10, 10:30 a.m., Friday, Monthly (1 st)
Mental Health Treatment Court Mentally Ill Probationers	Department 7, 1:30 p.m., Monday Department 7, 2:30 p.m., Monday
Arraignments, Sentencings, Pretrials/Pre-Preliminary Hearings In-Custody Arraignments	8:30 a.m. Monday through Friday 4:00 p.m. Arraignment Calendar conducted via video conferencing in Department 11.

Preliminary Hearings, Contested Probation Violation Hearings & Evidentiary Motions	TBA
MDO Petitions (2960 P.C.)	Department 5 1:30 p.m. Tuesday & Thursday Department 6 1:30 p.m. Tuesday & Thursday Department 8 1:30 p.m. Tuesday & Thursday
Jury Trials	TBA
PC270 Hearings PC270 In-custody Arraignments and Returns on Bench Warrants	8:30 a.m. Thursday in Department 4 before AB1058 Commissioner 8:30 a.m. Mon., Tues., Wed. and Fri. in Criminal Alpha Courts

Single defendant cases will be assigned by surname as follows:

Judge/Dept/Alpha	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
New Judge D8 A-Cn	Misd A-F	Felony A-F	Misd A-F	Felony A-F	JUDGE SET ONLY
Judge Harman D10 Co-F	Felony A-F	Misd A-F	Felony A-F	Misd A-F	
Judge Duffy D5 G-K	Misd. G-O	Felony G-O	Misd G-O	Felony G-O	
Judge Crandall D7 L-O	Felony G-O	Misd G-O	Felony G-O	Misd G-O	
Judge Trice D6 P-SI	Misd. P-Z	Felony P-Z	Misd P-Z	Felony P-Z	
Judge Tangeman D1 Sm-Z	Felony P-Z	Misd P-Z	Felony P-Z	Misd P-Z	

Multiple defendant cases will be assigned equitably on a rotating basis.

In calendar year 2009, all juvenile delinquency and dependency calendars will be called in Department 12 and at the Juvenile Services Center.

Juvenile Calendar – Juvenile Services Center (JSC) and Department 12	
Dependency (300) Calendars	1:30 p.m. Tues. D12 1:30 p.m. Wednesday D12
Delinquency (602) Calendars	8:30 a.m. Monday JSC 8:30 a.m. Wednesday JSC 8:30 a.m. Thursday JSC

Dependency (300) Contested Hearings	1:30 p.m. Thursday D12 8:30 a.m. Friday JSC 1:30 p.m. Friday D12
Delinquency (602) Contested Hearings	8:30 a.m. Tuesday JSC 8:30 a.m. Friday JSC 1:30 p.m. Thursday D12 1:30 p.m. Friday JSC and/or D12
Dependency Drug Court	1:30 p.m. Monday D12
Delinquency Drug Court	3:30 p.m. Monday D12

In calendar year 2009, misdemeanor calendars and misdemeanor jury trials will be called in the Grover Beach branch court by Judge Jac A. Crawford.

Misdemeanor Calendars – Grover Beach (January 5, 2009 – January 16, 2009)	
Misdemeanor Arraignments	1:30 p.m. Monday 8:00 a.m. Wednesday 1:30 p.m. Wednesday
Misdemeanor Pretrial Conferences/Trial Setting Conferences/Probation Modifications	8:30 a.m. Monday

Misdemeanor Calendars – Grover Beach (Commencing January 19, 2009)	
Misdemeanor Arraignments, Misdemeanor Pretrial Conferences/Trial Setting Conferences/Probation Modifications Misdemeanor Motions	8:30 a.m. Monday through Thursday
Misdemeanor Jury Trials	1:30 p.m. Wednesday

All traffic, minor misdemeanors and infractions will be called by Commissioner Stephen B. Sefton at the Veterans Memorial Building in San Luis Obispo and in Paso Robles.

Traffic Calendars	
Adult Traffic Arraignments	9:00 a.m. Tuesday – Veterans Memorial Building 1:30 p.m. Wednesday – Paso Robles D2 9:00 a.m. Thursday – Veterans Memorial Building
Adult Traffic Night Court	5:00 p.m. 3 rd Tuesday of the Month - Veterans Memorial Building 5:00 p.m. 1 st Wednesday of the Month – Paso Robles D2
Adult Traffic Trials	1:30 p.m. Tuesday – Veterans Memorial Building 9:00 a.m. Wednesday – Paso Robles Hrg. Room 1:30 p.m. Thursday – Veterans Memorial

	Building
Informal Juvenile and Traffic Arraignments	8:30 a.m. Friday – Grover Beach 3:30 p.m. Wednesday – Paso Robles Hrg. Room 1:00 p.m. Friday – JSC (Called by a Deputy Probation Officer sitting as a hearing officer)
Informal Juvenile Contested Hearings	8:30 a.m. Friday – Grover Beach 2:30 p.m. Wednesday – Paso Robles Hrg. Room 1:00 p.m. Friday – JSC (Called by a Deputy Probation Officer sitting as a hearing officer)

NOTES ON TRAFFIC: Attorneys are to notify the Traffic Department in Room 220 in advance of their intent to appear on a traffic matter.

CIVIL TEAM

Judge Barry T. LaBarbera, Team Leader Department 2

Judge Teresa Estrada-Mullaney, Department 3

Judge Roger T. Picquet – Paso Robles Department 2

Judge Jac A. Crawford – Grover Beach Branch Court

Commissioner Stephen B. Sefton – Veteran’s Memorial Building (SLO)/ Paso Robles

DUTIES: The civil team will hear civil matters, probate, mental health, adoptions and small claims trials de novo. All proceedings will be heard by the judge who has been assigned to manage the case for all purposes. All motions should be calendared for that department after a date has been secured from the Clerk’s Office. Jury trials, court trials and other contested hearings may be conducted Monday through Friday on a schedule determined by the judicial officer.

Civil Calendar		
<u>SAN LUIS OBISPO DEPARTMENT 2</u>		
Ex Parte Hearings	8:30 a.m.	Mon., Tues. & Thu.
Petitions for Writ of Mandate	8:30 a.m.	Monday
Temporary Restraining Order Hearings	9:00 a.m.	Tues., Wed. & Thu.
Law & Motion	9:00 a.m.	Wednesday
Trial Calendar	9:00 a.m.	Monday
Case Management Conferences	9:00 a.m.	Mon., Thu. & Fri.
Probate Calendar (Estates/Trusts)	9:00 a.m.	Tuesday
Mediation/Settlement Conferences	10:00 a.m.	Mon., Tues. & Thu.

<u>SAN LUIS OBISPO DEPARTMENT 3</u>	
Ex Parte Hearings	8:00 a.m. Mon., Tues., Thu. & Fri.
Petitions for Writ of Mandate	8:00 a.m. Monday
Temporary Restraining Order Hearings	8:30 a.m. Mon., Wed., & Fri.
Law & Motion	9:00 a.m. Thursday
Probate Calendar (Guardianships, Conservatorships, Minors Compromise, Special Needs Trust)	10:00 a.m. Tuesday
Adoptions	10:30 a.m. Monday
Mental Health Calendar	9:30 a.m. Mon., Tues., Wed., Thu. & Fri.
Trial Calendar	9:00 a.m. Monday
Case Management Conferences	9:00 a.m. Tuesday
Mediation/Settlement Conferences	1:00 p.m. Thursday
<u>PASO ROBLES DEPARTMENT 2</u>	
Ex Parte Hearings	8:30 a.m. Mon., Wed. & Fri.
Law and Motion	9:00 a.m. Tuesday
Temporary Restraining Orders	9:00 a.m. Friday
Trial Calendar & Readiness Conferences	8:30 a.m. Thursday
Small Claims Trial de Novo	8:30 a.m. Friday
Case Management Conferences	9:00 a.m. Monday & Wednesday

Civil Calendar – Branch Courts		
Limited Civil Calendar – Grover Beach	10:00 a.m.	Friday

Small Claims Calendar		
Small Claims Calendar	1:30 p.m.	Monday – Veterans Memorial Building
Small Claims Calendar	9:00 a.m.	Friday – Veterans Memorial Building
Small Claims Calendar	9:00 a.m.	Monday – Paso Robles Hrg. Rm.
Small Claims Night Court	5:00 p.m.	2 nd Thursday of the Month – Veterans Memorial Building

NOTES ON CIVIL: Counsel requesting a court reporter for civil law and motion matters must make this request at least 24 hours in advance and must pay the court reporter appearance fee in advance. Local Rule of Court 18.00(c) may be invoked due to a current shortage of certified shorthand reporters. Counsel should expect to be prepared for trial on the assigned date.

FAMILY LAW TEAM

Judge E. Jeffrey Burke, Team Leader, Paso Robles Department 1
Commissioner Patrick J. Perry, Family Support, Department 4
Commissioner Gayle L. Peron, Domestic Violence, Department 9

DUTIES: The family law team will hear matters related to dissolutions, annulments, petitions to establish parental relationship, custody, visitation, child and spousal support, domestic partnerships and domestic violence. All motions should be calendared for the case's assigned department after a date has been secured from the Clerk's Office.

Family Law Calendar	
<u>PASO ROBLES DEPARTMENT 1</u> Ex Parte Hearings Trial/Mediation Domestic Violence Calendar Law & Motion	8:30 a.m. Mon., Wed., Thu. & Fri. 8:30 a.m. Mon., Wed., Thu. & Fri. 1:30 p.m. Monday through Friday 1:30 p.m. Tuesday 9:00 a.m. Tuesday
<u>SAN LUIS OBISPO DEPARTMENT 4</u> Ex Parte Hearings Family Support Calendar Trial/Mediation Law & Motion PC270 Calendar	8:30 a.m. Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. Monday 8:30 a.m. Tuesday & Friday 1:30 p.m. Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. Wednesday 8:30 a.m. Thursday
<u>SAN LUIS OBISPO DEPARTMENT 9</u> Ex Parte Hearings Law & Motion Trials Dismissals Domestic Violence Trial or Mediation	8:30 a.m. Tues., Wed., Thu. & Fri. 8:30 a.m. Monday 8:30 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday 8:30 a.m. Friday 8:30 a.m. Wednesday 1:30 p.m. Monday through Friday

NOTES ON FAMILY LAW: Commissioner Perry will call the AB1058 Family Support calendar in Department 4. Commissioner Peron will call the OSC Domestic Violence calendars in Department 9.

APPELLATE DIVISION

Judge Barry T. LaBarbera (Presiding)
Judge Charles S. Crandall
Judge Ginger E. Garrett
Judge Jac. A. Crawford (Alternate)

CALENDAR: Oral argument - 4:00 p.m. first Thursday of each month